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Miss Marilee Drake, St Pat Queen

Independents And Greeks Square Off For Election

PRIMARY NOMINATIONS FOR CLASS OFFICERS

The primary nomination and election of class officers took place last Monday and Friday at 4:00 p. m. in Room 103 of the Old Chemistry Building. The usual fraternity - independent political maneuvering was enacted; however, this situation is to be desired rather than frowned upon, for it creates an interest in campus politics which in turn brings about an interest in national politics.

The following list of men, by virtue of the primary election, will be eligible for the final election:

Freshman Class

President — Romauld Buescher, Ralph Carl, Virgil Cummings.

Vice - President — Ralph Young, Jack Eason, Rodney Gilbreath.

Secretary — Jim Weber, Charles Pascheday, Paul Douglas.

Treasurer — Gordon French, Perry Perkinson, Robert Jennings.

Sophomore Class

President — Dwight Meyer, John Stovall, Tom Quick.

Vice-President — John Bruskotter, Bernard Dowd, Richard Danzer.

Secretary — Gene Edwards, Don Robenault, Richard Stevens.

Treasurer — William Boyasko, Clarence Richey, Jack Laytham.

Junior Class

President — John Smith, Jim Spiniello, Gene Kennedy.

Vice-President — Joe Dryden, Dick Zumsteg, Will Theerman.

Secretary — Ken Elbaum, Ernie Reeves.

Treasurer — Dan Martin, Bob Schwaig, Sam Shaw.

Senior Class

President — Charles Kunz, Graydon East, Dick Stegmeier.

Vice-President — Bill Collins, Jack Flynn, Pete Koppel.

Secretary — Bob Flossi, Fred Eckert, Ivan Bounds.

Treasurer — Lou Greco, Roland Neiderstadt, Bob Zane.

Final elections will be held Monday, February 20, from 1:00 p. m. until 5:00 p. m., in Parker Hall Auditorium.

STUDENT POLL LISTS PROFS SHORTCOMINGS

Lafayette, Louisiana — (ACP) — Southwestern Louisiana Institute's "Vermillion" asks students what habits of professors annoy them most. Some of the replies given were:

"Forgetting that we have other homework when making assignments. A teacher should realize that his courses are not the only ones."

"Why must professors talk so fast that one can't take notes?" "I hate ambiguous test questions when only one answer is acceptable."

"Learning a professor's biography instead of hearing a lecture bores me."

"I am disturbed when an instructor gives his lecture to the wall or the window instead of to the class."

"Teachers shouldn't ask if there are questions and then say, 'That should be understood,' when some one does want a point explained."

DR. H. DEWALD TO SPEAK ON 'INDUSTRIAL GASES' AT NEXT AFS MEETING

Mets, their campus friends, and the regular members of the Foundrymen's Society are invited to hear Dr. Lee H. Dewald, research director of Chicago's National Cylinder Gas Corp., speak at the AFS meeting on the 23rd of this month. Dr. DeWald's subject to be presented on that Thursday evening will be "Industrial Gases and their Application to Metallurgy."

It will be a Homecoming for Dr. DeWald, for he is a graduate of the School of Mines, class of 1933. In 1935 he received his Met. E. degree from MSM, and several years later, the degree of Ph. D. from M.I.T. He came to Rolla will qualified to speak before a technical group.

The meeting will begin promptly at 7:30, with Chairman Bill Ruprecht wielding the gavel. The men from the St. Louis AFS chapter will be present to see the students in action. There will be a door prize given away, and, of course, refreshments will be served after the meeting. Will we see you Thursday?

AIEE & IRE CHOOSE OFFICERS FOR SPRING

At the joint AIEE and IRE meeting held last Thursday evening, Bob Strain was elected Chairman of the joint organization for the current semester. Bob, who served as Vice-Chairman last semester, will have the following as fellow officers: Vice-Chairman, Pete Koppel; AIEE Secretary, Harold Gifford; IRE Secretary, Bill Murphy; and Treasurer, Wally Salomo.

The guest speaker for the evening was Mr. Charles E. Harrison, President of the Technomic Recording Laboratories of St. Louis, who gave a very informative talk on "Engineering Opportunities in Acoustics". The field of acoustics, which has come into prominence only in very recent times, is wide open; especially for those interested in basic research. At the present this research is being concentrated on the mechanics of the human ear, for the effect of sound on the ear is the end result of all acoustical engineering.

The IRE and IRE meeting to be held this coming Thursday, February 23, will be of prime interest to everyone. The program will consist of two motion pictures; one on the Navy's twin jet airplane, The Banshee, and the other on Radio Frequency Heating. The film on the "Banshee" will show the construction of the plane, including the manufacture of the jet engines; plus, its performance in flight. The Radio Frequency Heating film will show the theory behind induction and dielectric heating and their practical applications. In industry they are used for soldering, brazing, hardening, and in the manufacture of plywood and textiles. These processes will be shown.

The meeting is open to all wishing to see these films. Consult the bulletin boards for time and place.

STUDENTS SUFFER FROM DISEASE ALL THEIR OWN, DOCTORS REPORT

(Reprinted from NSA News). College students have a disease practically all their own. It is infectious mononucleosis — formally known as glandular fever.

There are more than 100 cases of the disease annually, at the University of Michigan alone, according to U. of M. health service doctors.

It is assumed that the disease attacks college students because of their age group and the fact that they live so closely together.

But once college students shared the disease with a similar age group—the army, who had an epidemic of it at Fort Bliss a few years ago.

Only fatal in very rare instances, infectious mononucleosis is most often characterized by a sore throat, irregular fever and enlarged lymph glands, according to Dr. Chris J. D. Zarafonitis of the University Hospital and Simpson Institute, who has been engaged in research on the disease.

The disease lasts from a few days to several weeks, he added.

But many patients suffer a long period of convalescence during which they suffer from general weakness and fatigue, making the problem a "significant health, academic and economic problem to many students and educational institutions," according to Dr. Zarafonitis.

Dr. Forsythe reported that one third to one half of the University students who get the disease are hospitalized.

Sulfa drugs, penicillin and streptomycin have been tried on infectious mononucleosis with no benefit.

Cause of the disease, by its behavior, is generally thought to be a virus, but since proof is lacking due to the difficulty of isolating the virus, the cause is still unknown, Dr. Zarafonitis said.

TAKE HEED, WEAK ONES MARRIAGE FOR ADULTS

Venture, Calif. — (ACP) — "Marriage is for adults," says Mrs. Irene M. Knox, dean of women at Ventura Junior College. She feels there is no set age when a person reaches maturity. Some are adults at 18, while others never really mature sufficiently for successful marriages. Mrs. Knox recommends completion of at least one year of college before entering marriage. This education enables the student to develop his or her skills more highly and to bring about a better understanding of the responsibilities of marriage.

"It is of no great importance if one partner received a higher education than the other if they recide at the beginning what is important and what they want out of life. Education is not all book learning. Experience counts a great deal." The Dean affirmed that there are no set rules for the success of any marriage. Like backgrounds, religious understandings, and equality of education all help to make a marriage a success. She emphasized, however, almost any marriage can succeed if both partners really try for a clearer knowledge of one another.

INTERFAITH COUNCIL HAS RELIGIOUS EMPHASIS PROGRAM THIS MONTH

The Interfaith Council has announced plans for a Religious Emphasis program for the end of this month, Feb. 28 and Mar. 1, 1950. This will be an all student activity. The theme of the talks will be built around "Religion in practice or what religion means to the engineer in the business world. The program will start with a Convocation Tuesday morning at 11:00 a. m. and the closing talks Wednesday at 4:00 p. m.

Outstanding speakers have been secured through the National Council of Christians and Jews, Inc., with the cooperation of its director, Mr. Virgil L. Border.

The men who will speak are Rev. Ervine P. Inglis, Congregationalist Minister; Dr. Paul Campisi, sociologist, Wash. University; Mr. Bernard Fischlowitz, engineer, Orchard Paper Company, St. Louis; Dr. William Van Taay, sociologist, Fontbonne College.

An outline of the program and complete biographies of the speakers will be published next week.

5TH REGIONAL BLUE KEY CONVENTION CONVENES AT MSM TOMORROW

Smartly dressed students from four other Blue Key chapters in Illinois, Missouri and Arkansas will converge on the MSM campus tomorrow morning for the beginning of the first convention in the Fifth Region's history.

The delegates will represent the University of Arkansas, Hendrix College at Conway, Ark., Northeast Missouri State College, Illinois Wesleyan at Bloomington, Ill., and of course, the Missouri School of Mines.

The convention will open with registration of guests, tomorrow morning, and after an informal get-together over luncheon plates at some of the fraternity houses, the main business of the convention will start.

On the agenda for the afternoon are reports from the various Blue Key chapters in this region. It is hoped that some of the chapters may be able to pick up some ideas on new activities, or improve on the efficiency of their present programs. For the information of the interested parties, there will be a short problem and discussion period following the presentation of these chapter reports.

A Junior Director for the region will also be elected at the convention. He will serve until the national convention meets just before the end of the fall semester. It will be his job to act as a co-ordinator of the chapters within his region and make periodic inspections, visiting each chapter atleast once during the course of the year. The office is being vacated by Bob Peppers, who served for the past year but is to graduate in June.

A banquet at the Houston House and a talk by Blue Key's national secretary, Mr. John J. McCann, will conclude the meeting.

It is hoped that all Blue Key members who are able will meet in Parker Hall Auditorium at 1:30 for the business session, and then meet at Tucker's at 6:30 for rides to the banquet.

VA REPORTS 24,436 WHO KNOW THEIR ONI'NS

World War II veterans numbering 15,616 were taking on-farm training in Missouri under the GI Bill January 1 this year, the Veterans' Administration said today.

The peak training period was reached in July 1949. In that month 16,155 veterans were enrolled, the Missouri State Department of Education, contracting agency for the institutional on-farm training program, reported to VA. Veterans enrolled under the adult education program at the University of Missouri are not included in the figures, Frank J. McCarthy of the Rolla office said.

Since inception of the program 24,436 Missourians have taken on-farm training, or are currently enrolled. About 8,820 GIs have interrupted training.

Some 30 per cent of those who interrupted their study in 1949 had completed all training they were entitled to receive, he said.

One hundred sixty-four veterans who had completed their employer-trainer course and could not re-enter under a self-proprietorship program, interrupted training in December 1949.

Two hundred nine, 57 of them in western Missouri and 152 in eastern Missouri, were able during the same period to change from an employer-trainer course to self proprietorship on January 1 because of acquisition of farms.

It is estimated that between 5,000 and 8,000 veterans in Missouri who have applied for this training are still waiting for an opportunity to enroll, but at present all classes are full. In some areas there are not enough instructors; in other areas schools are taxed to capacity and facilities are inadequate.

Even with present facilities it is expected that all who can meet the requirements will be able to enroll before the deadline July 25, 1951.

WANT TO WIN \$200? A. F. DAVIS WELDING AWARD CONTEST OPEN

Want to win \$200? It may not be as difficult as you think. Read on and then stop and consider. From an American Society publication come these words concerning the A. F. Davis Undergraduate Welding Award: "To encourage and stimulate interest in welding through the preparation of articles on the subject of welding by undergraduate students, and dissemination of such information through undergraduate publications." (The Miner in the case of an MSM student).

As a reward to the author of the best article published before April 1, 1950, the A. W. S. will give him \$200 plus \$200 to the publication which prints the article. Second prize is \$150 to the author and \$150 to the publication.

"Subject matter of the paper may be on any phase of any type of welding or its application to design and construction." Any undergraduate of this school is eligible to compete for these generous prizes.

How about it? This would be a good way to earn two hundred dollars for yourself as well as reflect a little glory on the school and its paper, the Miner. If you are at all interested, see Dr. Miles in the Mechanical Department. This is a bargain you should at least try to cash in on.

Miss Drake To Reign Over 1950 Festivities



Miss Marilee Drake as Honor Cadet Colonel of the Military Ball last October. Miss Drake has also been selected by St. Patrick to reign as his queen during the coming celebration.

DOG RESIGNS, FLEAS LEFT HOMELESS IN WELFARE STATE CRISIS

Two fleas decided to marry and settle down. The ceremony performed, they selected a big, inactive dog and took up their abode.

Life was sweet and rosy. Food, shelter and heat were provided from a central control source. Freedom from want and fear became a reality. With a housing unit in every wrinkle, the fleas had little to do other than eat, sleep and multiply.

The dog seldom scratched. He never in any other manner upset the tranquility of his "citizens." Selfish, material rights were subordinated to welfare of the fleas, who enjoyed this abundant, sheltered life. They multiplied amazingly.

There came a time when the old dog grew weary and debilitated. Could be the fleas were too voracious in their appetites. Unable longer to support this hungry and nonproductive citizenry, the dog wandered into the wilderness and passed away. Panic reigned among the fleas. They raced from tip to tail to nose, shouting "The economic system has let us down."

Many of the panic-stricken hordes, disillusioned and without sustenance, and totally incapacitated to seek a new livelihood, died on the spot. Others trudged out to face a cold unsympathetic world, dying as they tried to thumb a ride to the next dog.

With initiative, a will to do a fair day's work, a bit of discipline, plus self-reliance, the fleas would be living today. And so would the dog.

The truth came out yesterday.

A coed in the back of the room raised her hand and asked a question.

The professor cleared his throat, began his answer.

Fifteen minutes later, he finished, added: "I'm not sure I've answered your question, however."

"Oh yes," said the bright young thing, "yes, you did."

"Well," Professor began modestly, "my theory is—if you talk long enough, you're bound to say something." — "Syracuse Daily Orange".

PERT COLEEN CHOSEN BY VICARS OF ST. PAT

Good St. Patrick has just sent his latest communique from the land of Erin to announce to all of his loyal followers at the School of Mines that the lovely Miss Marilee Drake will share his honors as queen of the forthcoming St. Pat's celebration.

Students at the school have been anxiously awaiting this great news in anticipation of the celebration to honor their patron saint. The old gentleman has proven that tastes have not been dulled by age, for Miss Drake is a lady worthy of the royal position.

A student at the School of Mines, Marilee has lived in Rolla for seventeen of her twenty years. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Drake of Rolla, and has a brother Avery who is a member of Pi Kappa Alpha fraternity.

Miss Drake has some Greek affiliations of her own, being a member of Delta Delta Delta sorority which she joined while attending the university in Columbia. After a year at that school she transferred to Washington University where she distinguished herself as a song leader. She also won an award for modeling clothes she had designed at a contest at the University.

Last Fall Marilee returned to Rolla and registered at MSM as an unclassified student. Again her attractions and talents won her notice, and if you'll remember she made a very beautiful Honorary Cadet Colonel at the Military Ball last October.

St. Patrick has proclaimed his annual visit to begin on his day of March 17, but students at the School of Mines always insist on a windup before the gentleman's entry into town. Miss Drake will have her coronation at the Masquerade Ball on March 17, and will reign over the formal dance the following night.

NACA Announce Jobs For June Graduates

The National Advisory Committee for Aeronautics has announced that June graduates in engineering are wanted to fill research positions in its laboratories in Virginia, California, and Ohio. Graduates in most branches of engineering as well as chemists, physicists, and metallurgists are needed.

Salaries begin at \$3100 a year, but since the jobs entail principally research work, only students interested in research are asked to apply. An entrance examination is required to obtain the position, and applications must be made before February 28, 1950.

Detailed information and application forms may be obtained from most first and second class post offices, from Civil Service regional offices, or by writing to the U. S. Civil Service Commission, Washington 25, D. C., or to the Executive Secretary, Board of U. S. Civil Service Examiners, NACA, Langley Field, Virginia. Applications should be sent to the Executive Secretary at Langley Field, and must be received not later than February 28, 1950.

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EDITORIALS

To the Editor:

Concerning your editorial on "The Negro Question," I would like to call to your attention a misstatement. Enclosed is a copy of a letter printed in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, November 16, 1949, Letters From The People Column, on page 2B. From this article you will see that the results were really well over 2 to 1 in favor of admitting Negroes rather than "very much opposed" as stated in the mentioned editorial.

This letter is not intended as criticism of your stand taken on the issue of admitting Negroes to the School of Mines. A poll should be taken among the students at the School of Mines. Perhaps the results of such a poll would prove that students of engineering are as mature in their attitude toward this problem as the students at the University of Missouri.

Respectfully,
Robert Vansant, Student
Missouri School of Mines

"To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

"Concerning your editorial on the subject of admitting Negro citizens to the state colleges and the university, the Student Council of the University wishes to express the following opinion:

"The Student Body has voted 456 to 1847 to favor the proposal of the Board of Curators of the University to enroll Negroes in those divisions and curricula not adequately provided at Lincoln University. The Council is supporting the opinion of the student body because:

"1. This recommendation was made by the Board of Curators, which is capable of determining the practicality and desirability of the proposed change.

"2. The proposal was approved by the student body after a careful and extensive consideration of the facts and issues. More students voted in the election than in any previous election here at the university. The voting was preceded by a thorough educational campaign which presented both sides of the question to thousands of students.

"3. This change would prevent the waste of the taxpayers' money which would result from providing for Negroes a complete university equal to that already existing in Columbia. The system of duplication which our state has followed is sure to produce either inadequate education for Negroes or a terrific tax burden on the public, or both. For example, in the school year 1939-40, the state spent an average of \$697 on each student at

Lincoln University while white students at the University of Missouri cost the state an average of only \$229.

"4. The proposal of the Curators does not require the abolition of Lincoln University, which is a good school as far as it goes.

"5. Giving Negroes every educational opportunity is one of the best ways to overcome bigotry and prejudice and to raise the living standards of Negroes in general. The absence of social work, nursing and medical training at Lincoln is especially appalling considering the lack of training Negroes in these fields.

"6. The rulings of the Supreme Court in the Oklahoma and Arkansas cases indicate that an end to segregation may come soon anyway. It is much better that this change be voluntarily adopted by the State than by having it forced upon us by the Supreme Court.

"For all these reasons and many more, the Student Council is supporting the recommendation of the Board of Curators. From considerations of justice and practicality, we can see no alternative.

"The students of the University of Missouri asked their fellow citizens for support. We are ready to make this step forward.
J. Winston Martin
President, Student Government Assn., University of Missouri, Columbia.

"Ed.: Reader Vansant is to be congratulated on his interest in student affairs, and incidentally for writing the first reply the editor has received since assuming that position. The news contained therein is both welcome and gratifying. The editor must confess to being a little behind the times, his source of information being an editorial in the Missouri Student dated December 13, 1948. Thanks.

THE MATURING STUDENT
Following is an article by Dr. Harold Taylor of Sarah Lawrence College.

There's a flurry of activity around town and campus these days . . . everyone thinking of the forth-coming St. Pat's . . . won't be long now . . . at this time the Column wishes to congratulate the lucky Dames who are going to represent the Frat's of their husband . . . Mrs. Doris Green for Pi Kappa Alpha . . . and Mrs. Betty Acheson for Tri- angle . . . loads of luck girls.

UNIVERSITY DAMES

I wish to make a correction for last week's column . . . at the monthly meeting of University Dames, Mrs. McGaughey, Vice-President, presided over the meeting instead of Mrs. Truman Farrow who was unable to attend. In preparation for St. Pat's the following were selected to be on the Float Committee: Mrs. Mary Jane Stewart, Chairman with Mrs. Mary Minnis, Mrs. Lois Tonking, Mrs. Georgia Robinson, Mrs. Doty Gifford, Mrs. Doris Eggeman, Mrs. Joyce King, Mrs. Gloria Winters, Mrs. Violet Watts, and Mrs. Doris Green, and Mrs. Romie Lange . . . Mrs. Don King, head of the Ways and Means Committee, discussed ways to make money for the Dames . . . and all seemed to be in favor of having a movie at the Uptown which will be sometime in March . . . Watch the Column for the exact date . . . Next Dames meeting will be held at T-4 (which was designated to be the meeting place from now on)

The Marriage Ring

By Georgia Robinson

At 8:00 . . . All girls are cordially invited to attend.

MOTHERS CLUB

The University Dames Mothers Club is going to be held at the apartment of Mrs. Wanda Edwards, Q-5-M. S. M. Apartments on February 21st, at 8:00 . . . all wives are urged to attend . . . just pick up your phone and call 1012-R . . . Light refreshments will be served, and a grand time is assured for all . . . At the last meeting the following Spring Sem. Officers were elected: President, Mrs. Gloria Winters; Vice-President, Mrs. Wanda Edwards; Sec. Treas., Mrs. LaBerta Rhodes.

WORK BASKET

The University Dames "Sewing Bee" met with Mrs. Helen Duncan, 1108 Main St. last Tuesday evening, February 7th, and although the sewing was early laid aside, a friendly visit was enjoyed by all . . . Refreshments of hot coffee and homemade doughnuts were served by the hostess . . . The February 21st meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Joyce King, 607 West 4th, if you are planning to attend don't forget to phone your hostess.

CANASTA PARTY

Soon everyone on the campus will be talking "Canasta" if there are many more parties like the one Mrs. Don King at 607 West 4th St. held Monday

evening . . . At the close of the evening small party sandwiches and coffee were served . . . which of course everyone enjoyed.

PINOCCHLE CLUB

Last Tuesday night, February 14th, Mrs. Cal Lange played hostess to her pinocchle group . . . after which light refreshments were served.

GLEE CLUB

University Dames and Coterie Glee Club was held in Room 104 Norwood Hall on Thursday night, at 8:00 . . . Any girls having the ability to sing, are urged to call Marie Crowell, 155-M and are invited to attend the next meet which will be on February 23rd . . . Here's hoping we see you all there.

BRIDGE N' BANTER

Many bridge groups are in full swing now, the majority of them meeting every other week. Mrs. Don King entertained her two Table Club on Wednesday evening . . . after which light refreshments were served . . . Last night Mrs. Hank Tonking played hostess to her group . . . and Mrs. Peggy Firman, 100 South Rolla St. entertained her Bridge Club on Tuesday evening, February 14th . . . at the close of the evening refreshments were served.

WEEKEND FLASHBACKS

Many a couple could be seen at the T. K. House and Phi KA Saturday night, having a grand time . . . some of whom were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Green (quite a bow tie Dot) . . . Mr. and Mrs. Luther Propst . . . Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Minnis . . . Mr. and Mrs. Paul D. Robinson . . . and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Winters . . . The Paul Greens had weekend guests from St. Louis, Miss Jerry Byda, and Miss Erna Gercke . . . Although some of us may prefer dancing, etc. there are still a few who like to bowl and play cards . . . The Bill Clarks played cards with the Don Kings on Saturday night . . . and the Hank Tonkins bowled with the Harold Giffords . . . as so didn't the Truman Farrow's play cards with the Charlie Hauks of the Grant Apartments.

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If so, school authorities, in order to make up a program, need to know the names and numbers of the courses which you wish to take this summer. This is particularly important in the case of the seniors expecting to graduate at the end of the summer term; but others, in order to be sure of getting work they desire, should fill in this form also. List below the work you would like to have this summer. Sign your name and drop it into the labeled box in the lobby of Parker Hall.

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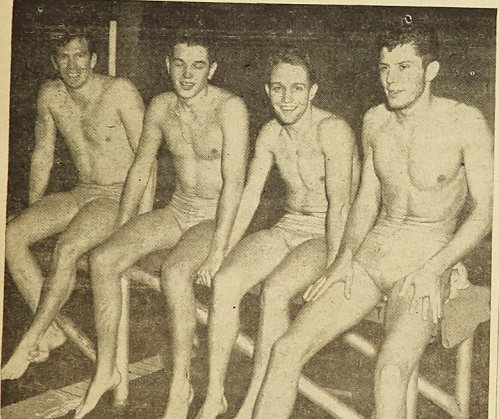
SPORTS PAGE

Miner 49ers
MIAA Football
Champions

Aqua - Miners Smash Wentworth 52 - 20 Vose Breaks 220 Mark

By Frank Marquis
The MSM swimming squad will swim Washington University natators in Jackling Gym Pool Saturday, fresh from a stunning 56-20 win over Wentworth Military Academy.
This win for the Miners has now set their season's mark up to two wins and three losses.
In the opening event, 180-yard medley relay, the Wentworth team of Sullivan, Wintrose and Bennett took an early lead which the Miners just couldn't make up, thereby seeing the visitors registering the first win. It was also the only win they were able to get.
Vose Breaks Record
Bill Vose, the Miners' speed merchant, roared to 2 wins in the 220 and 440 yard free style to pass the Miners to victory.
He captured the 220 yard free style in 2:30.0 with a hard fought battle by team mate Le-land Beverage, then switched to the 440 yard free style to register a double win for his afternoon's work. He chopped 2.3 seconds from the school record of 5:36.6 with a one-pool length lead over team mate Beverage.
Breast Stroke Outstanding Event
The most exciting and outstanding event of the meet was in the 100 yard breast stroke between Max Hauser of the Miners and John Wintrose of the visitors. Never in the entire race was there more than a foot between the two swimmers as they battled it out for first place. The race was won when Hauser outstretched Wentrose by a few inches to win. By doing this he administered Went-

rose of Wentworth M. A. his first defeat this season.
Maltzahn zipped to a fine 33.4 triumph in the 50 yard free style with Teightmyer of the visitors placing second.
In the back stroke, the Miners' Bloess and Taylor teamed up together and took first and second with Bloess outtouching Taylor.
Miners Take Diving
The diving again proved a Miner double win when Smith outpointed Greer for the number one position.
MSM's last win took place in the 440 free style relay when the team, consisting of Smith, Greer, Bloess and Maltzahn, came in on top in 2:20.1.
180 yard Medley—Won by Went. (Sullivan, Wintrose, Bennett). Time: 1:57.4.
220 yard free style—1, Vose (MSM); 2, Beverage (MSM); 3, Vits (W). Time: 2:30.0.
60 yard free style—1, Maltzahn (MSM); 2, Teightmyer (W); 3, Allen (MSM). Time: 33.4.
Diving—1, Smith (MSM); 2, Greer (MSM); 3, Teightmyer (W).
100 yard free style—1, Maltzahn (MSM); 2, Henderson (W); 3, Coder (W). Time: 1:07.3.
100 yard back stroke—1, Bloess (MSM); 2, Taylor (MSM); 3, Sullivan. Time: 1:11.8.
100 yard breast stroke—1, Hauser (MSM); 2, Wintrose (W); 3, Zacher (MSM). Time: 1:13.6.
440 yard free style—1, Vose (MSM); 2, Beverage (MSM); 3, Vits (W). Time: 5:34.3.
400 yard free style relay—Won by MSM (Smith, Greer, Bloess, Maltzahn). Time: 2:20.1.



Swimming Miners

Pictured above is the MSM 440 free-style relay team. Three of the men—Smith, Maltzahn and Bloess, placed first in their own events Saturday against Wentworth Military Academy, then teamed up with Greer to take first place in the relay.

Intramural Sports

In the first game of last Friday night the Engineers Club ran over KA, 34-17. Renolds and Bay shared the scoring honors for the Engineers Club, each getting 6 points. Sheehan was high man for KA scoring 7 points. In the second game of the evening Lambda Chi won from AEPI, 22-10. Rice had 9 for Lambda Chi and Romano and Akers each had 4 for AEPI. In the night-cap TKE barely won from Jackling Terrace, 22-19. West and Walker each had 6 for TKE and Kiraly had 7 for Jackling Terrace. In the games of Monday night, Sigma Nu won from KA, 34-13. Grey had 10 for Sigma Nu and Sheehan had 7 for KA. In the second game Sig Ep won from Lambda Chi, 21-17. Roemer-

man and Ulz were high scorers for Sig Ep, each getting 6 and Jeffers was high for Lambda Chi, getting 6 also. In the final game of the evening two new records were set as the Engineers Club won over AEPI, 54-24. The score totaled by the Engineers Club was the highest ever had by any ball club yet this season. Also Baldwin of the Engineers Club set a new high single scoring record by scoring 31 points. Cohen was high for AEPI with 6 points. In the first game of Tuesday night Theta Xi won over the Tech Club by the score of 17-14. Toner had 9 for Theta Xi and Akers had 5 for the Tech Club. In the second game Gamma Delta won from Lambda Chi, 42-20. Norton had 21 points for Gamma Delta and Cohen had 8 for AEPI. In the night-cap, Wesley won from Lambda Chi 27-22. Swisher had 10 points for Wesley and Stauder had 6 for Lambda Chi.
It's better to be broke than never to have loved at all.

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SHOOTIN' MINERS ENTER ROTC RIFLE MATCH

The Missouri School of Mines ROTC Unit has completed its firing and is entering its scores in the National Small Bore Rifle Match for ROTC Units, the Military Department announced this week. Teams from all parts of the United States, Alaska, Hawaii, and Puerto Rico will compete.

Listed below are the score of the Missouri School of Mines unit:

Stage 1			
Prone	Sit	Total	
1. Reed, C. J.	98	96	194
2. Meyers, W. J.	96	96	192
3. Schemel, T. H.	97	93	190
4. Thrall, D. O.	97	93	190
5. Horton, Don	97	93	190
6. Cauthorn, J. E.	97	91	188
7. Custead, Jerry	94	92	186
8. Berger, Charles	93	92	185
9. Govatos, J. N.	97	87	184
10. Kauffman, E. E.	95	88	183
TOTAL			961 921 1882
11. Potter, V. C.	93	87	180
12. May, R. C.	90	89	179
13. Gordon, Bob	91	84	175
TOTAL			274 260 534

Stage 2			
Prone	Knl.	Total	
1. Berger, Chas.	98	89	187
2. Reed, C. J.	98	87	185
3. Schemel, T. H.	96	87	183
4. Horton, Don	92	89	181
5. Thrall, D. O.	95	85	180
6. Potter, V. C.	96	83	179
7. Custead, W. J.	92	87	179
8. Meyers, W. J.	95	82	177
9. Cauthorn, J. E.	93	84	177
10. May, R. C.	93	84	177
TOTAL			948 857 1805
11. Govatos, J. N.	100	76	176
12. Kauffman, E. E.	94	80	174
13. Gordon, Bob	94	24	118
TOTAL			288 180 468

Stage 3			
Prone	Stdg.	Total	
1. Berger, Chas.	96	79	175
2. Schemel, T. H.	97	77	174
3. Thrall, D. O.	99	71	170
4. Reed, C. J.	96	72	168
5. Cauthorn, J. E.	94	73	167
6. Kauffman, E. E.	96	70	166
7. Horton, Don	95	69	164
8. Custead, Jerry	96	68	164
9. Potter, V. C.	98	51	149
10. May, R. C.	95	43	138
TOTAL			962 673 1635
11. Meyers, W. J.	95	38	133
12. Govatos, J. N.	93	38	131
13. Gordon, Bob	97	18	115
TOTAL			285 94 379

Stage 4			
Kneel	Stdg.	Total	
1. Reed, C. J.	93	84	177
2. Schemel, T. H.	91	75	166
3. Horton, Don	84	79	163
4. Berger, Chas.	83	79	162
5. Potter, V. C.	78	70	148
6. Meyers, W. J.	93	53	146
7. Thrall, D. O.	81	58	139
8. Kauffman, E. E.	81	54	135
9. Cauthorn, J. E.	69	60	129
10. Govatos, J. N.	80	48	128
TOTAL			833 660 1493
11. Custead, Jerry	75	37	112
12. Gordon, Bob	67	36	103
13. May, R. C. (Sick, did not fire)			
TOTAL			142 73 215

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INDIANS AMBUSH MSM; Tribe Hangs 61-51 Loss on Miners

After missing three games due to a leg injury, Don Merrick came back to pace the Cape Girardeau Indians to a 61-51 win. This game was a tough one to lose because it was very much within our grasp to take.

The game got off to a slow start with each team passing in the back court. Sim Scott broke the ice after a few minutes of play with a neat pivot shot. The Indians quickly retaliated with a long set shot by Maxen. The score changed hands several times before the Miners finally took a four point lead after six minutes of play.

Indians Foul-Happy
Because of the close and sloppy guarding of the Indians, the referee's whistle was forever tooting. In the first half, Cape had committed 12 fouls while the Miners got by practically unnoticed. The uncanny shots of Maxen were helping Cape keep up with the Miners, but the Miners still led 16-12, with 6 minutes left. Our boys eased up on the scoring, but for Scott who was hitting from all angles on the floor.

The Indians opened the second half with a quick score. Scott came back with a push shot, and this put the game underway in full swing. The pack at the game started to bog down with a lot of fouls being committed. Only this time, the Miners were getting caught as the offenders. The Indians maintained their lead aided by the fancy floor play of Bill Goodman. The Miners kept up the fight and slowly whittled down the margin. Burgett was hitting from all over and with 8 minutes left to play only one point separated the two teams. Huffman went up to block a layup but was called fouling. The layup counted and the two free throws were also made. It was Huffman's fifth personal foul, who had played a good game at defense. This quick 4-point surge broke the Miners, and they never fully recovered.

Scott Gets 22 Points
The Indians took advantage of the Miners' loose ball handling and finished off the game 61-51. Scott had a good night for himself, scoring 22 points. Mo Burgett, playing about his best game of the season, scored 19 points.

The box score:

Miners	FG	FT	F	TP
Huffman	0	1	5	1
Burgett	3	3	4	19
Scott	9	4	4	22
Faulkner	1	1	0	3
Weber	0	1	0	1
Smith	0	1	1	1
Gilstein	1	2	2	4
C. Girardeau	FG	FT	F	TP
Goodman	5	3	0	13
Maxen	3	1	4	7
Merrick	7	7	4	21
Proffer	1	1	4	3
Clippis	1	3	0	5
Estes	6	0	0	12

AIME BACKS THEM IN, ON WAY TO RECORD

Where were all the members of the Mining and Metallurgy Departments last Wednesday night? Over at 103 Old Chem Building, of course. At least it seemed that way. The first meeting of the A. I. M. E. during the new semester attracted approximately 215 members, a good indication of the interest and the growing strength of the organization during the past semester. Did I hear the Colorado School of Mines making a rash statement to the effect that they had the "biggest and best" student A. I. M. E. organization in the country? What a lotta noise that is.

Remember—next meeting is election time, so be there if at all possible. Let's fill Room 103 to its capacity. See you then.
Applicant: "I'm Gladys Zell."
Personnel Manager: "I'm happy myself. Have a seat."

Miners Scare Washington Bears Before Dropping Thriller, 48 - 39

WESTMINSTER TO PLAY MSM HERE TUES. NIGHT

Next Tuesday night the Westminster basketball team will meet the Miners in Jackling Gym.

The outlook on this game is not too bright from a Miner's viewpoint. Westminster played the MSM team once this year, toward the beginning of the season, and won by a rather large margin, 55-39. At that time the Miners were at their peak, with Shorty Voiles, B. A. Prater and Eldo Koppelman in the lineup. Now, with these men gone, there is no telling what to expect.

The men who will probably give Coach Douglas' boys the most trouble are Geitz, the Westminster forward, and Silkner, their rangy center. Geitz scored 12 points in the season's previous game with the Miners, and Silkner hung closely to his tail with 11 points for the same.

Nevertheless, no matter how dim the outlook, let's all be out there Tuesday night to support the team, and who knows, perhaps we'll see the unexpected.

MSM Defense Tight

By Ross Crow
The Miners had a stunned Wash. U. team on the ropes here Tuesday night, but were edged out in the waning minutes of the game, 48-39. There was much more excitement than the score indicated, however, with the Miners ahead 26-22, at the half, and behind only one point, 38-37 with six minutes to go. Big Jim Scott had just fouled out, and then Gene Huffman was ushered out via the foul route to all but end things for the silver and gold.

Coach Gullion of the Bears brought a large squad down, and there were several spectators from the hilltop, but for most of the game, it looked like none of them could help. Victory would have been sweet for the Bears, have been getting considerable national recognition this season, both as a defensive team and for a victory over U. of Louisville last week in an overtime.

Miner Defense Tight
The Bears' defense was good Tuesday night, but so was the Miners'. Working better than this writer has ever seen them, Coach Douglas' boys were on

every movement made by the Bruins. Scott started things off with a nice left-handed hook shot and the game went nip and tuck from there. Scott scored all of his ten points in the first half, and was helped considerably in the scoring column by Faulkner and Burgett. With fifteen minutes of the first half gone, it was 19-18, Bears. Then in the last minute of the half, Scott passed the length of the court to Faulkner for a lay-up, and Gjelsteen hit a left-handed jump shot to push the Miners ahead, 26-22. The Miners hit 10 for 26 the first half while Wash. U. was only connecting on 7 for 27.

Washington Begins March
The second half started out just as fast and furious as the Miners pushed their lead to 30-23. Mollman and R. Pierce, twin brother of high scoring Pierce, made set shots to narrow the gap. Then came Scott's peculiar exit from the game. Weber fouled a Wash. U. man on the front line, and the fact was readily apparent to everyone in the gym, but somehow referee Eddie Davidson called it on Scott, who was completely out of the play under the basket. The Miner drive was again throttled in a few minutes when Gene Huffman, playing a very good floor game throughout, also collected five personals. With a 38-37 lead the Bears started freezing the ball, and that was the ball game. Trying to get at the ball, the Miners started fouling and a Wash. U. pulled away.

The Miners hit only 4 for 16 the last half but Wash. U. got 7 for 25. They ended up with a .269 average and the Miners .333. High man for the game was Faulkner with 15 points. Mollman and D. Pierce collected 10 for the visitors. Inaccuracy at the foul line proved to be the margin of defeat as the Miner cagers missed 13 of 24 shots. The box score follows:

Miners (39)	FG	FT	F
Huffman	0	2	5
Henson	0	0	0
Burgett	5	0	4
Weber	0	0	1
Scott	5	0	5
Faulkner	3	9	4
Gjelsteen	1	0	1
Edwards	0	0	0
Nichols	0	0	1
Smith	0	0	2

Washington U.	FG	FT	F
Light	3	3	2
R. Pierce	2	4	5
Cain	0	1	1
Greenblatt	0	1	2
D. Pierce	2	6	5
Miller	2	3	3
Koester	0	0	0
Mollman	5	0	3
Frolow	0	1	1
Gericke	0	0	0
C. Smith	0	1	0
Rockefeller	0	0	0
Referees, Games and Davidson.			

Missed free throws: Miners (13)—Huffman, 2; Burgett 3; Scott, 2; Faulkner, 4; Smith, 2; and Edwards; Wash. U. (8)—Cain, 2; Light, R. Pierce, Miller, Mollman, Frolow, D. Pierce.

Following The Miners

Basketball	
MINERS vs. Westminster	Feb. 21—H
MINERS vs. Maryville	Feb. 25—H
Swimming	
MINERS vs. Washington	Feb. 18—H
MINERS vs. Ill. Normal	Feb. 25—H
MINERS vs. St. Louis	Mar. 11—A

"Did that course in English help your boy friend at all?"
"No, he still ends every sentence with a proposition."
Then there was the girl who soaked her strapless evening gown in coffee so it would stay up all night!

Around The MIAA

by A. Greenberg
The Springfield Bears held on to their MIAA lead by dumping the Maryville Bearcats on Saturday, 35-31. The defeat by Springfield coupled with their loss to Warrensburg 51-42, virtually eliminated the Bearcats from title contention. The Warrensburg Mules kept their title hopes alive by downing the Miners 71-55 and Maryville. Other league results showed Maryville 49—Kirkville 43; and Cape hoped over the Miners by defeating them 61-51.

MIAA Standings (Feb. 13)

W	L	PF	OP
Springfield	6	1	329 267
Warrensburg	5	2	386 329
Kirkville	5	3	374 352
Maryville	4	3	302 278
Cape Girardeau	1	6	304 342
MINERS	1	7	357 484

The big game of this week—Springfield at Warrensburg—will be played Tuesday—too late for the result to be printed in this edition of the MINER. The Bears defeated the Mules earlier in the year at Springfield, but Warrensburg has been double tough at home and has shown enough basketball savvy to rate

TRUMAN ANNOUNCES NATIONAL BROTHERHOOD WEEK START SUNDAY

Statement by President Truman
"Americans can make no greater contribution to all mankind than to stand united, without a state imposed uniformity, for the achievement of that peace and freedom for which all people everywhere pray," said President Harry S. Truman in accepting the Honorary Chairmanship of Brotherhood Week, beginning Sunday, February 19th.

The President's letter of acceptance, delivered to John L. Sullivan, former Navy Secretary and General Chairman of Brotherhood Week, affirmed that "there probably has never been a time in history when true brotherhood was so indispensable to the welfare of our own nation and to the peace and freedom of the entire world."

er before. "Respect for human dignity is the central issue in the world today," he said.
"America is dedicated to the conviction that all people are entitled by the gift of God to equal rights and freedoms even though they may differ in religious persuasion, in social and political views or in racial origin. Our greatness is and will be measured by the degree of our recognition of this fundamental truth," the President said.

Brotherhood Week is sponsored annually by the National Conference of Christians and Jews during the week of George Washington's birthday. It has been observed since 1934.

Frosh: Don't you think Miss Smith looks ugly in that low cut evening gown?
Soph: Not as far as I can see.

The Iowa State Lantern reports that the last time one of the fraternities sent their curtains to the cleaners they received a letter from one of the fairer sex:

"Dear Sirs: May we suggest that you procure curtains for your windows. We do not care for a course in anatomy."
The boys immediately wrote back: "Dear Girls: The course is optional."

